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These are a couple of things I felt the need to look into following the ABF meeting (but I have more that I'm working on):

Jim Frazier's talk: Jim said that he compared the reduced risk compound, acetamiprid to a conventional compound, thiacloprid, applied to apples. But - Acetamiprid is not a reduced risk pesticide on apples. It has only received RR status on potatoes. That was bothering me.

Section 18 history & beekeepers: according to our database, starting in 1999, we issued **392** section 18s just for coumaphos. I didn't check into all the other compounds but nearly 400 for coumaphos is significant (yes, I know they don't like it anymore, well, at least Mr. Hackenberg and Mr. Doan don't like it).

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